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AT the Court at *Kenſington*, the 2d Day of *June*, 1758.

PRESENT,

The KING's moſt Excellent Majeſty in Council.

WHEREAS Information hath been this Day given to His Majeſty at this Board, that the Engliſh Privateers, cruizing in the Mediterranean, viſit many Neutral Ships bound from the Levant, and Smyrna, where the Plague now rages; — And it being of the utmoſt Importance to prevent the Infection being brought into this Kingdom by any of the ſaid Privateers, — His Majeſty doth therefore, by and with the Advice of His Privy Council, hereby Order, Require, and Command, that all Privateers, and all Perſons, Goods, and Merchandizes, on Board the ſame, now arrived, or that ſhall hereafter arrive, in any Port of this Kingdom, or of the Iſles of Jerſey, Guernſey, Alderney, Sark, or Man, from the Mediterranean, do make their Quarantine for Forty Days, and do likewiſe ſtrictly conform themſelves, in all Reſpects, to the Rules and Regulations required to be obſerved by Ships and Veſſels coming from Smyrna, and other Parts of the Levant, and the Coaſt of Barbary. —And the Lords Commiſſioners of His Majeſty's Treaſury, the Commiſſioners for Executing the Office of Lord High Admiral of Great Britain, the Lord Warden of the Cinque Ports, the Maſter General of the Ordnance, His Majeſty's Secretary at War, and the Governors, or Commanders in Chief, for the Time being, of the ſaid reſpective Iſles of Jerſey, Guernſey, Alderney, Sark, and Man, are to give the neceſſary Directions herein, as to them may reſpectively appertain.

F. Vernon.

AT the Court at *Kenſington*, the 8th Day of *May* 1758,

PRESENT,

The KING's moſt Excellent Majeſty in Council.

WHEREAS the Time limited by His Majeſty's Order in Council, of the Twenty Ninth of March laſt, For paying the reſpective Bounties therein mentioned, to all Able and Ordinary Seamen, and alſo to all Able-bodied Landmen, who ſhould voluntarily enter themſelves in His Majeſty's Royal Navy; and likewiſe for paying the Rewards to Perſons diſcovering Seamen who ſhould conceal themſelves, will expire upon the Twentieth Day of this Inſtant May; — And whereas it is judged expedient for His Majeſty's Service, That the Bounties and Rewards thereby given, ſhould be continued to be paid for ſome Time longer; His Majeſty doth therefore, by and with the Advice of His Privy Council, hereby Order, That the Bounties of Three Pounds for every Able Seaman, and of Thirty Shillings for every Ordinary Seaman, not above the Age of Fifty, nor under the Age of Twenty Years; and of Thirty Shillings for every Able-bodied Landman, not above the Age of Thirty-five, nor under the Age of Twenty Years, be continued to be paid to ſuch Seamen and Landmen reſpectively, who ſhall, on or before the Thirtieth Day of June next, enter themſelves in the Royal Navy, in the Manner directed by His Majeſty's Proclamation of the Fourth Day of January 1757: And likewiſe, That the Rewards of Two Pounds for every Able, and Twenty Shillings for every Ordinary Seaman, be continued to be paid to any Perſons who ſhall, on or before the ſaid Thirtieth Day of June next, diſcover any Seaman or Seamen who ſhall conceal themſelves, ſo as ſuch Seaman or Seamen be taken for His Majeſty's Service. Whereof all Perſons concerned are to take Notice, and govern themſelves accordingly.

W. Blair.

Whitehall Treaſury Chambers, Dec. 1, 1757.

WHEREAS adhering to the King's Enemies, by giving to them Aid or Comfort, either within his Realm, or elſewhere, is High Treaſon, and the Concealment thereof is Miſpriſion of Treaſon;

And Whereas the Lords Commiſſioners of His Majeſty's Treaſury have received Information, That a Loan of Money for that Purpoſe is at this Time negociating in this Kingdom; Their Lordſhips do hereby promiſe a Reward of Two Hundred Pounds to any Perſon, by whoſe Diſcovery any Subject of His Majeſty, or any Perſon reſiding within this Realm, ſhall be convicted of lending or advancing directly or indirectly, or of cauſing or procuring to be ſo lent or advanced, or of ſubſcribing for, or contributing to, or of ſolliciting or contracting for or remitting, either in Coin or Bullion, or by Bill or Bills of Exchange, or by any other Means whatſoever, any Sum or Sums of Money, to or for the Uſe or Purpoſe aforeſaid. The ſaid Reward to be paid immediately on the Conviction of every ſuch Offender, by the Solicitor of the Treaſury, without Deduction, their Lordſhips having given Directions for the immediate Proſecution of ſuch Offenders.

Whitehall, May 31, 1758.

Whereas it has been humbly repreſented to the King, that on Sunday the 7th, about Seven in the Evening; on Sunday the 14th, about Seven in the Morning; on Friday the 19th, about Seven in the Morning; and on Saturday the 27th paſt, about Six in the Morning, and about Twelve o'Clock at Noon the ſame Day, the Stables, Hayloft, &c. of Edward Chapman, at the Golden Lyon

[Price Three-Pence.]

Lyon in Finſbury Yard, Moorfields, were ſet on Fire; and whereas there is the greateſt Reaſon to apprehend, that the ſame were purpoſely ſet on Fire by ſome wicked evil minded Perſon or Perſons, His Majeſty, in order for bringing to Juſtice ſuch Perſon or Perſons, is pleaſed to promiſe his moſt gracious Pardon, to any one (except the Perſon or Perſons who actually ſet Fire to the ſaid Stables and Hayloft) who ſhall diſcover his or her Accomplice or Accomplices therein.

W. PITT.

And as a further Encouragement, I the ſaid Edward Chapman do hereby promiſe a Reward of Twenty Pounds to any Perſon as aforeſaid, to be paid upon the Conviction of any one or more of the Offenders.

Edward Chapman.

And at a Veſtry held laſt Thurſday, it was ordered and agreed, that a further Reward of Twenty Pounds *be given upon Conviction of ſuch Offender or Offenders, to be paid by the Churchwardens of the ſaid Pariſh of St. Luke.* Mich. Tyler, *Veſtry Clerk.*

Stamp Office, Lincoln's Inn, June 2, 1758.

The Commiſſioners for managing His Majeſty's Stamp Duties do hereby give Notice, that there is in their Office a Quantity of damaged Parchment, Paper, and printed Blanks to be diſpoſed of to the beſt Advantage of the Revenue under their Care, which are intended to be ſold by Weight, wherefore any Perſon or Perſons who are willing to purchaſe and pay ready Money for the ſame, are deſired to ſend his or their Propoſals in Writing, ſealed up, and directed to the ſaid Commiſſioners, on or before the 8th Inſtant: And every ſuch Perſon or Perſons may in the mean Time, by applying to the Warehouſe-keeper, have Liberty, during Office Hours, to view the ſaid Parchment, Paper, and printed Blanks.

General Poſt Office, May 5, 1758.

Whereas divers Perſons, through Ignorance or Careleſſneſs, frequently put Letters into this Office, as alſo into the Poſt Offices both in Town and Country, that are directed on Board of Ships, and to Foreign Parts, without paying, at the ſame Time, the legal Poſtage for the ſame; and whereas Letters and Packets, are frequently put into the ſaid Offices, which contain Money, Rings, or other Things of the like Nature; This is to give Notice, that no Letter or Packet whatſoever, under the above Circumſtances, can, for the Time to come, be forwarded from hence, or from any other Poſt Office in the Kingdom.

N. B. Letters to Holland and Flanders are forwarded without any Foreign Poſtage demanded here, but if they are ſent from the Country the Inland Poſtage muſt be paid to London.

By Order of His Majeſty's Poſtmaſter General.

Geo. Shelvocke.

Navy Office, June 1, 1758.

The principal Officers and Commiſſioners of His Majeſty's Navy give Notice, that there is in the Hands of the Treaſurer of the Navy, Money for paying all Bills regiſtered on the Courſe of the Navy in the Month of December 1757, *in order that the Proprietors of, or ſuch Perſons as are legally impowered to receive the ſame, may bring them to this Office to be aſſigned for Payment accordingly.*

Victualling Office, June 1, 1758.

The Commiſſioners for Victualling His Majeſty's Navy do hereby give Notice, that there is Money in the Hands of the Treaſurer of His Majeſty's Navy to pay Intereſt and Non-Intereſt Bills, regiſtered on the Courſe of the Victualling in the Month of December 1757, *in order that the Proprietors of, or ſuch Perſons as may be legally empowered to receive the ſaid Bills, may bring them to this Office to be aſſign'd for Payment.*

June 5, 1758.

Publick Notice is hereby given, that the Truſtees of Wadeſmill Turnpike Roads in the County of Hertford, are appointed to meet at the George Inn at Buntingford in the ſaid County, on Thurſday the 29th Day of June Inſtant, at Ten in the Forenoon.

Boſ. Toller, *Clerk to the ſaid Truſtees.*

Exciſe Office, London, June 6, 1758.

By Order of the Honourable the Commiſſioners of Exciſe, &c. on Thurſday the 15th of June Inſtant, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, will be expoſed to Sale in their Court Room in the Old Jewry, Several Parcels of Condemned Bohea and Green Tea, Coffee, Brandy, Rum, Geneva, Soap, Candles, Paper, &c. Printed Catalogues of the Particulars thereof will be delivered at the ſaid Office, on Monday the 12th Inſtant, and the Goods to be viewed there, and at the Warehouſes near the Cuſtom Houſe, on Tueſday the 13th and Wedneſday the 14th, from Nine of the Clock in the Morning to Two in the Afternoon, and alſo on the Day of Sale till Twelve o'Clock.

Trinity Houſe, June 3, 1758.

Notice is hereby given, That the Floating Light Veſſel near the Edyſtone Rock, lately broke away from her Moorings, is replaced, with the following Marks and Bearings. The Bolt Land is open to the Southward of the Edyſtone Rock, which bears from the Light Veſſel Eaſt by South Southerly, Diſtance about two Miles; and New Church Tower about a Cable's Length open to the Eaſtward of Pen Lee Point, and the Ram Head North Eaſt half North. The Bearings are taken by the common Compaſs.

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Seamen of His Majeſty's Ship St. Alban, lately under the Command of Samuel Graves, Eſq; who were actually on Board at the taking of a French Ship called the Rouille, that the Prize Money for the ſame will be paid on Wedneſday the 14th of the preſent Month, between the Hours of Ten and Two: And there will be Recalls upon the firſt Wedneſday in every Month for Three Years afterwards, between the Hours of Ten and One, at Mr. Bicknell's in Foxhole, Plymouth.

By His MAJESTY's Patent,

A New-invented Refracting Teleſcope, by which Objects are ſeen much clearer and diſtincter than by any before made, the Object Glaſs being made of Mediums of different refractive Qualities are ſo adapted as to correct the Errors ariſing from the different Refrangibility of Light, as well as to thoſe which proceed from the ſpherical Surfaces of the Glaſſes. Theſe Teleſcopes will therefore be found of infinite Advantage to the Publick in general, but more particularly to the Navy, where good refracting Teleſcopes are of the utmoſt Importance. To be had of Mr. Francis Watkins, Optician, at Charing Croſs; and of Mr. John Dollond, in Denmark Court in the Strand. Mr. Watkins has alſo Reflecting Teleſcopes of all Sizes, finiſhed to the greateſt Perfection.

ALL Perſons that have pledged any Plate, Rings, Watches, Diamonds, Wearing Apparel, or any other Things whatſoever, at the Three Bowls, the Corner of Half-moon Street in the Strand, facing Durham Yard, are deſired to redeem them on or before the 24th Day of December next, or they will be ſold, leaving off Trade.

N. B. Attendance will be given from Eight in the Morning until Eight in the Evening.

TO be ſold, purſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Thomas Harris, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Lincoln's Inn, the Eſtates hereinafter mentioned, in the following Lots, viz.

Lot N° 1, A Rent-charge of 250l. a Year, payable for ever out of four Shares in the New River Water Works, clear of all Deductions whatſoever.

Lot N° 2, A Freehold Meſſuage with Stables, Gardens, Fiſh Ponds, and ſeveral Parcels of Land thereto belonging, ſituate in Turkey Street in the Pariſh of Enfield in Middleſex.

Particulars of the ſaid Eſtates may be had at the ſaid Maſter's Chambers.

TO be ſold, purſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Thomas Bennett, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Houſe in Curſitor's Street, Chancery Lane, London, A Copyhold Eſtate, conſiſting of 23 Acres of Land, lying within and holden of the Manor of Harmondſworth in the County of Middleſex, late the Eſtate of Richard Combes, deceaſed, afterwards in the Poſſeſſion of Robert Combes the Elder, likewiſe deceaſed, and now in the Occupation of Philip Combes. Particulars whereof may be had at the ſaid Maſter's Houſe.

PUrſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, The Creditors of Thomas Burford, late of the Six Clerks Office, Gent. deceaſed, and of John Burford, deceaſed, late Fellow of King's College in the Univerſity of Cambridge, are peremptorily to come in and prove their Debts before Thomas Harris, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Lincoln's Inn, on or before the 1ſt Day of July 1758, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Decree.

THE

June 1, 1758.

THE Creditors of Robert Arnold, of Great Yarmouth in the County of Norfolk, Rope-maker and Twine Spinner, are hereby desired to take Notice, that he hath, in order for the immediate Satisfaction of his Debts, assigned over all his personal Estate to Richard Baker, Esq; of Great Yarmouth aforesaid, and Mr. William Eaton, of the same Town, Book-seller, in Trust, to sell and dispose thereof for Payment of the said Debts; and they are hereby likewise required to bring or send a particular Account of their several Demands to the said Richard Baker and William Eaton, or to Mr. Thomas Harmer of Great Yarmouth aforesaid, Attorney, on or before the said 1st of July next. And all Persons indebted to the Estate and Effects of the said Robert Arnold, are also hereby required to pay their respective Debts to the said Richard Baker and William Eaton, or to the said Mr. Harmer, on or before the 1st Day of July, or they will be prosecuted for the same without any further Notice. And the said Richard Baker and William Eaton, in pursuance of the Authority aforesaid, gives this publick Notice, that there will be sold by Auction, on Monday the 12th of June Instant, all the Household-stuff, Furniture, and Stock in Trade of the said Robert Arnold, consisting of a very large Quantity of exceeding good Hemp, Tar, Twine, Ropes, and divers other Materials and Things belonging to the Business of a Rope-maker and Twine-spinner.

THE Creditors of John Goldring, late of Petersfield in the County of Southampton, Carrier, deceased, who have heretofore proved their Debts, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, and the Representatives of such of the said Creditors who are since deceased, are forthwith to come in and claim the said Debts before Francis Eld, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn, in Chancery Lane, London, in order to be intitled to a proportional Share of the said John Goldring's Estate, so far as the same will extend towards Satisfaction of the said Debts.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankruptcy awarded and issued against George Francis, of Colchester in Essex, Plumber, Glazier and Chapman, are desired to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupt's Estate on the 13th of June Instant, at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon, at the House of Samuel Norfolk, called the Red Lyon in Colchester, to impower the said Assignees to agree or compound Debts, and submit Disputes to Arbitration, and likewise upon other special Affairs, concerning the Bankrupt's Estate and Effects.

THE Assignee of the Estate and Effects of Charles Bromfield, formerly of Hemlock Court in the Parish of St. Clement Danes in the County of Middlesex, Gentleman, discharged out of His Majesty's Prison of the Fleet, by Virtue of an Act of Parliament made in the 16th Year of His present Majesty's Reign, for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors, gives Notice, that he shall on the 7th of July next, at Seven in the Evening, at the Swan and Hoop Tavern in Cornhill, London, make a Dividend of such Part of the said Insolvent's Effects as hath already come to his Hands, amongst such Persons who were Creditors of the said Insolvent on the 1st of January 1742, and shall make Proof of their respective Debts, according to the Directions of the said Statute.

PUrsuant to an Order made by the Right Hon. Sir Robert Henley, Knt. Lord Keeper of the Great Seal of Great Britain, for Enlarging the Time for James Palethorp, John Grammer, and Daniel Titterton, of Bread Street, London, Hosiers, Dealers, Chapmen and Partners, Bankrupts, to make a full Discovery and Disclosure of their Estate and Effects, for 49 Days, to be computed from the 6th of June Instant; This is to give Notice, that the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major Part of them, will meet on the 25th of July next, at Four o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; when and where the said Bankrupts are required to surrender themselves and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of their Estate and Effects, and finish their Examination, and the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, may then and there come and prove the same, and assent to or dissent from the Allowance of their Certificate.

WHereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against William Welsh, of the City of Bristol, Coach and Coach-harness maker, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major Part of them, on the 12th and 13th Days of June instant, and on the 18th Day of July next, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, on each of the said Days, at the Three Tuns Tavern in Corn Street, Bristol, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to choose Assignees, and at the last Sitting the said Bankrupt is required to finish his Examination, and the Creditors are to assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to whom the Commissioners shall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. George Adderly, Attorney, in Bristol.

WHereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Thomas Blakey, of Malham in the County of York, Dealer in Sheep and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major Part of them, on the 19th and 20th of June Instant, at the House of James Smith, being the Sign of the Shoulder of Mutton in Horsforth in the said County of York, and on the 18th of July next, at the Castle of York in the County of York aforesaid, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, on each of the said Days, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the second Sitting to chuse Assignees, and at the last Sitting the said Bankrupt is required to finish his Examination, and the Creditors are to assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the same, but to whom the Commissioners shall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. John Bentley, Attorney, in Bradford in the County of York aforesaid.

WHereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against William Kitcatt, of the City of Bristol, Haberdasher, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major Part of them, on the 21st and 22d of June Instant, and on the 18th of July next, at Four in the Afternoon on each of the said Days, at the House of William Fisher, Vintner, being the Rummer Tavern in All Saints Lane in Bristol, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the second Sitting to chuse Assignees, and at the last Sitting the said Bankrupt is required to finish his Examination, and the Creditors are to assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to whom the Commissioners shall appoint, but give Notice to Messr. Tyndale and Hale, Attorneys, in Bristol.

WHereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Gilbert Williamson, of Fording Bridge in the County of Southampton, Mercer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major Part of them, on the 15th and 24th Days of June Instant, and on the 18th Day of July next, at Four of the Clock in the Afternoon, on each of the said Days, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the second Sitting to chuse Assignees, and at the last Sitting the said Bankrupt is required to finish his Examination, and the Creditors are to assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to whom the Commissioners shall appoint, but give Notice to Messr. Commeline and Athawes, at Cordwainers Hall, in Distaff Lane, London.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against John Flamank, of St. Collomba in the County of Cornwall, Grocer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 28th Day of June instant, at Four of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to do the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend.

WHereas the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against William Grant, of Rumsey Extra in the County of Southampton, Miller, Mealman, Dealer and Chapman, have certified to the Rt. Hon. Sir Robert Henley, Knt. Lord Keeper of the Great Seal of Great Britain, that the said William Grant hath in all Things conformed himself according to the Directions of the several Acts of Parliament made concerning Bankrupts: This is to give Notice, that by Virtue of an Act passed in the Fifth Year of his present Majesty's Reign, his Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the said Act directs, unless Cause be shewn to the contrary on or before the 27th of June Instant.

WHereas the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Joseph Slaymaker, of Lambeth in the County of Surry, Millwright, Timber Merchant and Chapman, have certified to the Rt. Hon. Sir Robert Henley, Knt. Lord Keeper of the Great Seal of Great Britain, that the said Joseph Slaymaker hath in all Things conformed himself according to the Directions of the several Acts of Parliament made concerning Bankrupts, this is to give Notice, that by Virtue of an Act passed in the Fifth Year of his present Majesty's Reign, his Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the said Act directs, unless Cause be shewn to the contrary on or before the 27th of June Instant.

WHereas the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Richard I'Ans, late of Eagle Court in the Strand in the City of Westminster, Merchant, have certified to the Rt. Hon. Sir Robert Henley, Knt. Lord Keeper of the Great Seal of Great Britain, that the said Richard I'Ans hath in all Things conformed himself according to the Directions of the several Acts of Parliament made concerning Bankrupts; This is to give Notice, that by Virtue of an Act passed in the fifth Year of his present Majesty's Reign, his Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the said Act directs, unless Cause be shewn to the contrary on or before the 27th of June Instant.

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FRIDAY *June* 9, 1758.

Whitehall, June 9.

The Night before laſt, a Meſſenger arrived from Prince Ferdinand of Brunſwick's Head Quarters at Cleves, with the following Account of the Operations of the Army under his Highneſs's Command.

Cleves, June 3.

'THE 25th of May, the chief Part of the Troops encamped at Notteln. Here they were not to remain long, this Camp being only intended as a Rendezvous for aſſembling them from the moſt diſtant Quarters, in order to put them in a Condition to march forwards. A Part of theſe Troops went, in the Night between the 26th and 27th, from Notteln to Coeſveld, to join thoſe which were there before, as well as the different Regiments which were come thither from Dulmen. The reſt of the Army marched ſome Hours ſooner, from Notteln for Dulmen, where the Head Quarters were fixed in the Morning of the 27th. A Detachment, conſiſting of ſeveral Batallions and Squadrons, as well as of Scheither's Light Troops and Lukner's Huſſars, aſſembled on the 26th, at Dorſten, and in its Neighbourhood, under the Command of Major General Wangenheim. The Duke had charged him with the Diſpoſitions to be made for the Paſſage of the Roer, with Orders to advance himſelf to the Gates of Duſſeldorp, and to cauſe the Corps, under the Command of Scheither, to paſs the Rhine at Duysbourg. This Paſſage was executed in the Night between the 29th and 30th, with ſuch Succeſs, that Scheither having attacked, with Bayonets fixed, the three Batallions of French, that oppoſed him, defeated them; and took Five Pieces of Cannon, out of Eight which they had. He had but Two Men wounded in the Paſſage, and not One either killed or wounded during the Action. The Army marched before Sun-riſe on the 29th from Dulmen towards Dorſten, and encamped at Limbeke; from whence, the next Day, Lieutenant-General Wutgenau was detached towards Weſel with a Body of Infantry and Cavalry. The 30th he encamped at Raeſveld, and the 31ſt at Ringenbourg. The Duke left the Army during its March from Dulmen to Limbeke, and went to Boeckholt, where he found the advanced Guard of the Body aſſembled at Coſveld. That advanced Guard marched on the 30th to Emmerick; and was followed by the reſt of the Corps which was encamped at Vraſſelt. About Five o'Clock in the Afternoon of the 31ſt, the Whole was in Motion to croſs the Rhine; the advanced Guard went on as far as Lobit. The Duke's Deſign was to paſs the River there in the Night; but an unforeſeen Accident broke all the Meaſures, which had been taken for that Purpoſe; and his Serene Highneſs was obliged to march the Troops back again in the Night to Nedderelte. The 1ſt of June was employed in removing the Obſtacles that had occurred; and, in the following Night, the Paſſage was again attempted, and executed with all poſſible Succeſs, near Herven.

'The Huſſars, with a Detachment of Grenadiers, paſſed, on the 2d of June, at Two o'Clock in the Morning, in Flat-bottomed Boats, which went and returned with ſo much Diligence, that, beſides the Huſſars, a Regiment of Dragoons, and Ten or Twelve Batallions, were, before Noon, on the other Side of the River. During all this Time, Workmen were employed about the Bridge, which however was not compleated till Four this Morning. The Remainder of the Cavalry and Infantry paſſed immediately, and marched towards Cleves.

'The Huſſars, ſupported by the Volunteers, ſurprized at firſt ſome Patrolls, which were made Priſoners of War, and ſtill continuing to advance, defeated the Cavalry that ſhewed themſelves, and took a Pair of Kettle Drums and Standard from the Regiment of Bellefond. This Country is entirely divided by Dykes, ſo that it is as eaſy to diſpute the Ground, as it is difficult to advance. The Enemy, ſenſible of this Advantage, advanced with Seven or Eight Hundred Foot to ſtop the Head of our Van Guard, and fired ſome Pieces of Cannon upon them, which however hurt Nobody. But a Detachment of Twenty Men, having found Means to ſlip along a Dyke, and get Poſſeſſion of a Houſe which the French had, in Part, paſſed, fired upon them; which had ſuch an Effect, that they retired immediately. Every Thing elſe, that happened even to the Gates of Cleves, only relates to the Huſſars; and they have only Five Men and Two Officers wounded.

'This is the Whole of our Loſs; we are ſtill ignorant of that of the Enemy. We only know of about Fifty Priſoners, moſt Part of whom are wounded. We have found an Hoſpital at Cleves.

Cologne, May 30. 'There is Advice that Meſtre du Camp Dragoons, and Conty Infantry, have received Orders to return to France; and that, as ſoon as the Militia and Recruits arrive, they will be followed by ſome other Regiments who are very weak. The States of Liege, after long Diſputes among themſelves, have agreed to furniſh 240000 Rations, and to make Repreſentations concerning the Remainder. They are buſy in drawing up Complaints againſt the Regiment of Harcourt, who have entered Maſeich without giving the State any previous Notice, and have lodged themſelves where they liked beſt.

Cologne, June 1. 'Eight Hundred of His Britannick Majeſty's Troops paſſed the Rhine the Night between the 29th and 30th paſt. They ſurprized the Regiment of Cambreſis who were at Oſſenberg: The French ſay the Colonel and ſome few of the Soldiers eſcaped; the reſt were cut to Pieces or taken Priſoners. The Regiment of Navarre, who were at Meurs, marched to their Succour, but the Affair was over before they arrived.

'There is a French Courier arrived this Morning, with the News that the Allied Army attacked Kaiſerſworth the Night between the 30th and 31ſt, and carried it, after having killed or taken Priſoners the greateſt Part of the Garriſon; the reſt ſaved themſelves by croſſing the River.

'It is juſt now ſaid, that Duſſeldorff is partly inveſted, and that His Britannick Majeſty's Troops, to the Number of Eighteen Thouſand, are preparing to beſiege it, having already (as the Courier reports) ſummoned the Town to ſurrender; and by the Movements amongſt the Generals and Officers, it is ſuppoſed they have received Orders to prepare to march.

Cologne, June 2. 'It is ſaid, from very good Authority, that the Light Troops, who paſſed the Rhine the 29th paſt, took five Pieces of Cannon, ſix Pounders, all the New Cloathing of the Regiment of Navarre, beſides other Things. They made two Officers and Twenty-ſeven Men Priſoners, and repaſſed the Rhine with the Loſs of three Men only.

'The French are more confounded with this, and the taking of Kaiſerſworth, than is credible, as they told the Elector they would certainly defend that Place.

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